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Assistant Commissioner for Patents
Washington, D. C. 20231

Sir:

PRELIMINARY AMENDMENT

Please amend the above-identified application as follows:

IN THE SPECIFICATION:

Page 1, line 5, delete the current paragraph and insert therefor:

21 This application claims priority based upon copending U.S. Provisional Application No. 60/240,812, filed October 17, 2000, and U.S. Application Serial Nos. 09/702,751 and 09/702,803, both filed November 1, 2000, the disclosures of which are incorporated herein by reference.

REMARKS

The attached Appendix includes a marked-up copy of the rewritten paragraph (37 C.F.R. §1.121(b)(iii).

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